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Title:	WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS, INTERROGATORS AND METHODS OF COMMUNICATION WITHIN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM		

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NOTICE OF RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicant is hereby providing notice that the subject patent application is related to the patent applications listed herein. A copy of the current transaction history retrieved from the USPTO Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system for each of the related patent applications is attached hereto. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to review the history of these related applications, including the current claims, Office Actions and Notices of Allowance.

1. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/265,074, filed March 9, 1999, entitled "Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communication Within a Wireless Communication System," now U.S. Patent No. 6,356,764.
2. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/081,256, filed February 19, 2002, entitled "Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communication Within a Wireless Communication System."
3. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/495,845, filed July 27, 2006, entitled "Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communication Within a Wireless Communication System."

4. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/847,635, filed August 30, 2007, entitled “Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communication Within a Wireless Communication System.”

5. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/851,228, filed September 6, 2007, entitled “Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communication Within a Wireless Communication System.”

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Transaction History

Date	Transaction Description
09-21-2002	Post Issue Communication - Certificate of Correction
03-12-2002	Recordation of Patent Grant Mailed
02-21-2002	Issue Notification Mailed
03-12-2002	Patent Issue Date Used in PTA Calculation
02-07-2002	Receipt into Pubs
02-06-2002	Application Is Considered Ready for Issue
01-16-2002	Issue Fee Payment Verified
01-21-2002	Receipt into Pubs
01-16-2002	Issue Fee Payment Received
12-17-2001	Workflow - File Sent to Contractor
12-17-2001	Receipt into Pubs
12-13-2001	Dispatch to Publications
12-14-2001	Mail Corrected Notice of Allowance
12-13-2001	Corrected Notice of Allowance
12-13-2001	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
10-22-2001	Mail Notice of Allowance
10-22-2001	Notice of Allowance Data Verification Completed
10-03-2001	Date Forwarded to Examiner
09-24-2001	Amendment after Final Rejection
07-30-2001	Mail Final Rejection (PTOL - 326)
07-30-2001	Final Rejection
05-15-2001	Date Forwarded to Examiner
05-07-2001	Response after Non-Final Action
02-01-2001	Mail Non-Final Rejection
01-29-2001	Non-Final Rejection
01-02-2001	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
03-09-1999	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
03-09-1999	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
06-27-1999	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-02-1999	Application Dispatched from OIPE
03-30-1999	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
03-25-1999	Initial Exam Team nn

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Transaction History

Date	Transaction Description
12-10-2008	Appeal Awaiting BPAI Docketing
09-17-2008	Electronic Information Disclosure Statement
09-17-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
09-17-2008	Mail Reply Brief Noted by Examiner
09-15-2008	Reply Brief Noted by Examiner
07-10-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner
07-07-2008	Reply Brief Filed
07-09-2008	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
06-23-2008	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
05-24-2008	Appeal ready for BPAI docketing
05-07-2008	Mail Miscellaneous Communication to Applicant
05-06-2008	Miscellaneous Communication to Applicant - No Action Count
04-07-2008	Electronic Information Disclosure Statement
04-17-2008	Return of Undocketed appeal to the TC
04-17-2008	Exam. Ans. Review Complete
04-14-2008	Mail Examiner's Answer
04-11-2008	Examiner's Answer to Appeal Brief
04-07-2008	Information Disclosure Statement considered
04-07-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-04-2008	Change in Power of Attorney (May Include Associate POA)
04-01-2008	Correspondence Address Change
01-09-2008	Appeal Brief Review Complete
01-09-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner
12-17-2007	Appeal Brief Filed
12-17-2007	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
10-16-2007	Notice -- Defective Appeal Brief
08-07-2007	Appeal Brief Review Complete
08-07-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner
07-09-2007	Defective / Incomplete Appeal Brief Filed
07-09-2007	Appeal Brief Filed
06-07-2007	Notice -- Defective Appeal Brief
06-04-2007	Appeal Brief Review Complete
06-04-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner
04-11-2007	Defective / Incomplete Appeal Brief Filed

04-11-2007	Appeal Brief Filed
04-11-2007	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
04-11-2007	Miscellaneous Incoming Letter
12-11-2006	Notice of Appeal Filed
12-11-2006	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
08-11-2006	Mail Non-Final Rejection
08-03-2006	Non-Final Rejection
06-20-2006	Request for Refund
06-06-2006	Date Forwarded to Examiner
05-30-2006	Response after Non-Final Action
05-30-2006	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
03-21-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
01-30-2006	Mail Non-Final Rejection
01-23-2006	Non-Final Rejection
11-14-2005	Miscellaneous Incoming Letter
11-14-2005	terminal disclaimer fee paid
11-21-2005	Date Forwarded to Examiner
11-14-2005	Response after Non-Final Action
08-11-2005	Mail Examiner Interview Summary (PTOL - 413)
08-11-2005	Mail Non-Final Rejection
08-04-2005	Non-Final Rejection
06-22-2005	Examiner Interview Summary Record (PTOL - 413)
08-05-2005	Mail Notice of Withdrawn Action
08-04-2005	Letter Withdrawing / Vacating Office Action
06-06-2005	Mail Final Rejection (PTOL - 326)
05-31-2005	Final Rejection
04-15-2003	Reference capture on IDS
05-25-2005	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete
04-15-2003	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-15-2003	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-19-2002	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-19-2002	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-17-2005	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-17-2005	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
03-31-2005	Date Forwarded to Examiner
12-27-2004	Response after Non-Final Action
12-27-2004	Request for Extension of Time - Granted

12-27-2004	Workflow incoming amendment IFW
08-26-2004	Mail Non-Final Rejection
08-23-2004	Non-Final Rejection
06-15-2004	Date Forwarded to Examiner
06-01-2004	Response after Non-Final Action
06-01-2004	Workflow incoming amendment IFW
05-28-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
05-28-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-26-2004	Mail Non-Final Rejection
02-23-2004	Non-Final Rejection
10-17-2003	Miscellaneous Incoming Letter
07-15-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-17-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-08-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-16-2002	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-04-2002	Application Dispatched from OIPE
04-04-2002	Application Is Now Complete
03-26-2002	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
03-07-2002	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
02-19-2002	Initial Exam Team nn

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09-17-2008	Electronic Information Disclosure Statement
09-17-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-07-2008	Electronic Information Disclosure Statement
04-07-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
03-06-2008	Correspondence Address Change
02-26-2008	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
12-30-2007	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
08-24-2006	Corrected filing receipt
12-10-2007	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
09-07-2007	Reference capture on IDS
09-07-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
09-07-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
03-06-2007	Reference capture on IDS
03-06-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
03-06-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
08-24-2006	Reference capture on IDS
08-24-2006	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
08-24-2006	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
08-23-2006	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete
07-27-2006	Reference capture on IDS
07-27-2006	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
07-27-2006	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
07-27-2006	Preliminary Amendment
08-15-2006	Application Dispatched from OIPE
08-16-2006	Application Is Now Complete
08-09-2006	Cleared by OIPE CSR
08-03-2006	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
07-27-2006	Initial Exam Team nn

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Transaction History

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09-17-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
09-17-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-23-2008	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
03-06-2008	Correspondence Address Change
02-19-2008	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete
08-30-2007	Preliminary Amendment
12-20-2007	PG-Pub Issue Notification
08-30-2007	Preliminary Amendment
09-20-2007	Application Dispatched from OIPE
09-12-2007	Sent to Classification Contractor
09-12-2007	Application Is Now Complete
08-31-2007	Cleared by OIPE CSR
08-30-2007	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
08-30-2007	Initial Exam Team nn

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Date	Transaction Description
09-17-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-07-2008	Electronic Information Disclosure Statement
04-14-2008	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-07-2008	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-01-2008	Correspondence Address Change
01-03-2008	PG-Pub Issue Notification
12-19-2007	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
10-17-2007	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete
09-06-2007	Reference capture on IDS
09-06-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
09-06-2007	Preliminary Amendment
10-05-2007	Application Dispatched from OIPE
09-25-2007	Sent to Classification Contractor
09-26-2007	Application Is Now Complete
09-18-2007	Cleared by L&R (LARS)
09-13-2007	Referred to Level 2 (LARS) by OIPE CSR
09-13-2007	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
09-06-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
09-06-2007	Initial Exam Team nn